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COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS.

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HIGGINSVILLE HAPPENINGS.

Wilson of Corder was in town Tuesday.
S. Dickey spent Sunday in Lexington.
Winn, of Dover, was in town Tuesday.
Redifer of Corder was in town Tuesday.
C. Blane of Kansas City spent Sunday here.
Robert Roberts, of Aullville, was in town Tuesday.
Osborn and son, Will, of Tabo were Saturday.
Lena Schaechter, of Mayview, was in town Tuesday.
Elefret and wife of Colorado are relatives here.
Mrs. McAllester, of Corder, was in town Wednesday.
Allison, of the Boston Store, has quite sick this week.
Prigmore and wife of Alma Sunday in this city.
L. H. Otto filled an appointment in Aullville Sunday night.
Corder and wife of Corder were in Aullville shoppers Saturday.
Kroll and wife of near Lexington were shopping here Tuesday.
Reinhardt has bought a half interest in Elefret drug company.
Hackle of Corder attended Kelly wedding Sunday.
Brelpohl came down from K. to visit "friends" here Sunday.
Ward Mitchell and Harry Leary were in Aullville Sunday evening.
Blakeley and wife of near Mayview were shopping here Saturday.
George Gordon, of Dover, has accepted a position with Hader & Co.
Frank Carter and Son, Robert, of Missouri City are visiting the families of W. J. Craig, Vaughan and other relatives here.
Anna Groves, of Corder, visited in this city part of this week.
Mary Willie Redd, of Dover, and friends here part of the week.
Misses Oia and Florence Dysart of near were shopping here Thursday.
R. R. Winchester, recently of Mar. is now night operator at the C. &

Mrs. Anna M. James and son, of Mayview, were shopping in this city Tuesday.
Ed. Beattie of Sweet Springs spent Sunday evening with J. C. Beasley, and wife.
Rev. Sam McDaniel of Warrensburg is visiting the family of his brother, H. H. McDaniel.
Mrs. Forest McCord and little son returned from a week's visit in Alma Sunday evening.
Mrs. Dick Mason and little daughter returned from a visit to Kansas City Sunday night.
Will Haackley has returned from the eastern circuit, where he has been racing Albert Allison.
Mrs. Hermann DeBoit and children left Sunday evening for a few weeks' visit in Kansas City.
Died, in this city, October 16, Mrs. Mary Turman, aged 89 years, 7 months and 11 days.
John Smith and wife, of Concordia, spent Tuesday in this city the guests of the family of John Klein.
Sanford Thornton and wife of Lexington spent Sunday with Mrs. Thornton's mother, Mrs. Dooley.
Higginsville has a new jewelry store with J. E. Climings, proprietor. It is located at Freeze's old stand.
T. L. Beach, the jeweler, was in St. Louis this week attending the grand lodge of the A. F. and A. M.
Mrs. Joe Harrison returned Thursday morning from Denver, Colorado, where she has been spending the summer.
Bate Drummond, of Odessa, bought out John Harwood's interest in The Jeffersonian. He took charge Thursday.
Frank McCallum and sister, Mary of Missouri City are visiting the families of W. J. Craig, Vaughan and other relatives here.
Mark and Carrol Beamer, of Garden City, who have been visiting the family of Oscar Beamer, of this city, returned home Wednesday.
The Gibney stock company filled a week's engagement at the opera house here last week and played to a full

house every night.

Martin Hofer, who is attending college in St. Louis, came in Wednesday to attend the marriage of his sister, Miss Emelie, and Rev. Mr. Bode.
Henry Stege, who was stricken with paralysis, while visiting at the home of Henry Hader, was able to be taken to his home in St. Louis Thursday morning.
About six hundred people attended Clinton Sydnor's sale at the fair grounds Tuesday. Sixty-nine head of hogs were sold at the average price of \$18 a head.
Mrs. L. F. Page spent last week in St. Louis visiting her son, J. J. Page and attending the fall festivities. She was accompanied by Misses Inez and Ida Belle Walker.
Cards are out announcing the wedding of Kathryn M. Triese and William Semmler, Sunday, October 27th, at the residence of the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Semmler, of this city.
Married, in this city, Thursday afternoon, at 4 p. m., in the German Evangelist church, Emelie, only daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Henry Hofer, and Rev. G. Bode, of St. Louis. Rev. Hofer officiated. A large number of relatives and friends were invited to witness the ceremony and attend the reception at the home of the bride's parents in the evening.
Married, in this city, Sunday, Oct. 13, 1901 at the residence of the bride's parents, Miss Anna, only daughter of Jesse Fields and wife, and Marion T. Kelley of Kansas City. Rev. L. H. Otto performed the ceremony. Only relatives and intimate friends were present. The bride was reared in this city and is a charming and estimable young lady and leaves a host of friends and well wishers for her future welfare. The groom is a gentleman of sterling worth and integrity. The couple are at home to friends at 2105 Forest Ave., Kansas City.
WELLINGTON AND VICINITY.
(BY LEALMA.)
J. P. Shirley and wife visited Kansas City Tuesday.
Major W. J. Carpenter spent Sunday in Kansas City.
W. E. Johnson was up from Higginsville Wednesday.
Thomas C. Bally had business in Kansas City Saturday.
Fred Rogge and John Bryant are

both on the invalid list.

W. B. Emison shipped 85 head of hogs to Kansas City Tuesday.
C. S. Milton Goodloe of Lexington township was in town Wednesday.
Pearl Strodtman left Monday for a visit to friends in Independence, Mo.
Mrs. J. H. Westerman visited friends in Levasy Saturday night and Sunday.
The Wellington mills were running day and night during part of last week.
Mary Rider of near Sunshine, Mo., is visiting the Misses Slade here this week.
John Wulfenkamper and John Strodtman from Napoleon were here Tuesday.
Bessie Choffin of Breckenridge, Mo. was the guest of Bessie Strodtman from Saturday until Tuesday last.
Mrs. W. T. Johnson and Misses Gussie Crutsinger and Georgia Rigland were in Lexington Wednesday.
Jonah River Henry, Rhodenberg and Charles Kronshage of the Napoleon neighborhood transacted business here Monday.
Regular service, conducted by the pastor in charge, Rev. E. Y. Ginn, will be held at the M. E. Church, South, next Sunday, October 20th.
Track laying was completed and trains commenced running over the big fill in the new railroad grade from Carter mine west to the Big Sni creek.
Wallace Jones came over from Odessa Wednesday and will do the plastering work on Richard Stricler's new house in the bottom northwest of town.
Henry Hagamoeller, living near the bridge over the Big Sni creek on the Lexington road has just completed work erecting an additional story to his residence.
Dr. J. W. Mann and wife returned from their trip to the south the latter part of last week and are making ready and will occupy their new home on South Walnut street in a few days.
The St. Louis Show Company has had its tent stretched on the Albin Stewart lot on west 5th street this week and entertained good crowds on Tuesday and again on Wednesday evening.
Marion Jackson, agent for the Mo. Pac. railroad, removed the telegraph

and ticket office to the Wellington Milling Company office Wednesday where it will remain until the work of removing the depot to the new ground near the mill has been completed.
A blind phrenologist gave an entertaining talk to a large crowd on Fifth street Monday night until he undertook to delineate the bumps on City Marshal Will Johnson's cranium. The blind man did his best but the subject was too hard and the assembly finally dispersed.
Alex. Wooden-head Denten has had something of the turkey-gobbler strut and it is claimed in some quarters is suffering with self conceit just because he went hunting and killed a big wild goose Wednesday morning. The boys say he telegraphed to Kansas City for quotations from the feather market.
Mrs. James Lineback had her hands severely burned early Wednesday morning. She had just gotten up and was striking a match to light a lamp when a lot of cotton batting that she had been using the day previous in making some comforts and left lying on the table was ignited by a spark and burst into flames. Fearing the house would be destroyed she took the cotton in her hands and attempted to put the blaze out and was severely burned before her husband could reach her side with a bucket of water.
(Lealma, while attending court here this week paid the INTELLIGENCER an appreciated visit. We are always glad to meet our correspondents and Lealma was most welcome.—ED. INTELLIGENCER.)
FROM MAYVIEW.
Mrs. Hill and Bess Matthews were in Higginsville Monday afternoon.
Bertha Roberts visited friends in Blackburn Saturday and Sunday.
Miss Munroe has returned home from an extended visit in Auxvasse, Mo.
Mrs. J. B. Jones and Clarence Jones were shopping in Higginsville Tuesday.
Mrs. O. M. Bullard and John Major of Lexington are visiting relatives near Aullville.
Mrs. Albert Tyree will entertain the Ladies' Aid Society of the Baptist Church Thursday.
The improvements at the Christian church have been completed and add greatly to the village.

A protracted meeting began last Sunday at Mt. Helron, near here and is well attended by Mayview people.
Prof. Phillips, Arch Kelley, Miss Kelly and Miss Perrie, attended the County Reading Circle at Lexington Saturday.
Virgil Puckett and wife visited relatives here Sunday. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Forrest Puckett and infant son.
The evaporator at this place shipped out \$2,440 worth of fruit last Saturday, which shows a little of the proportions of the apple business here.
Louis Schneider died at his home here, Wednesday morning, Oct. 16, of typhoid fever. Mr. Schneider had been very sick for several weeks, but to the last his friends and family hoped he might recover. He was an estimable young man and many friends here will mourn his death.
The following were among Carnival visitors to Kansas City from this place: Mrs. Larima Chiles, Mrs. Albert Tyree, Miss Bess Matthews, Miss Minnie Warren, Mr. and Mrs. Mann Ridings, Miss Bessie Chinn and George Plattenburg, T. M. Chion, Prewett Warren, Dr. Daily and James Campbell.
Married at Kansas City.
J. L. Broughton, of Odessa, Mo., and Miss Laite Redford, of Eldorado Springs, Mo., were married at the Savoy hotel, at Kansas City, Tuesday evening at 5 o'clock, Dr. S. A. Northrop officiating. "There is no story," said Mr. Broughton, who is a hardware merchant at Odessa to a newspaper reporter. "There was no parental opposition and no elopement. Because of a press of business a wedding at Eldorado was inconvenient, so we met here, were married and propose to live happily ever after."
\$100 Reward.
The Good Order Club of Lexington Township will pay \$100 reward for the capture of any horse thief who shall be caught and turned over to this club for stealing a horse or mule belonging to any member of this club. 10-191f
At Thursday night's meeting of the city council an ordinance was passed fixing the rate of taxation on real and personal property in Lexington for the year 1901. The rate was fixed at 50c on the \$100 valuation for general revenue purposes and 40 cents on the \$100 valuation as a special water tax.